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In re the application of:

Confirmation No: 8786

TANAKA et al.

Art-Unit: 1616

Application No.: 09/872,156

Examiner: Michael G. Hartley

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Atty Docket No. 107380-00005

For: NEW IMAGE AGENTS PRECURSORS THEREOF AND METHODS OF
MANUFACTURING

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

June 3, 2003

Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 10, 2003, for two (2) months from April 10, 2003 to June 10, 2003.

Enclosed please find a check in the amount of Four Hundred Ten Dollars (\$410.00) to cover the cost of the extension. In the event that any additional fees are required with respect to this paper, please charge Counsel's Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referring to client-matter number 107380-00005.

Respectfully submitted,

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